GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
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DISCRIMINATION AGAINST DALITS AND MUSLIMS IN SECURING JOBS IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether as per study by University Grants Commission`s Chairperson, the dalits and muslims face discrimination in securing jobs in the private sector just on the basis of their names;

(b) if so, the details and findings of the study; and

(c) the response of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) No such study has been undertaken by the University Grants Commission.

(b) & (c) Do not arise.